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'IOLANI PALACE CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC UNTIL NOVEMBER 15, 2011

HONOLULU – The grounds of 'Iolani Palace will close today at 5:00 pm and will be reopened to the public on November 15, 2011 at 6:00 am.

According to Attorney General David Louie and William Aila, Chairperson of the Department of Land and Natural Resources, this action has been deemed necessary for the protection of the area and for the safety and welfare of persons and property. This is part of the state's effort to secure and protect several critical state areas during the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation (APEC) Summit.

People currently on the palace grounds will be given a reasonable opportunity to remove their possessions and leave the premises. State personnel will be available to assist as necessary.

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